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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2000/40 of 15 February 2000, S/2000/40/Add.1 of 21 February 2000 and S/2000/40/Add.5 of 28 March 2000.

During the week ending 19 February 2000, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) (*see* S/1999/25/Add.43 and 51; *see also* S/1998/44/Add.13, 34, 38 and 42; and S/1999/25/Add.2, 3, 11, 18 and 22)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4102nd meeting, held in private on 16 February 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

> "At its 4102nd meeting, held in private on 16 February 2000, the Security Council considered the item entitled 'Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)'.
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> "The representatives of Albania, Australia, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Bulgaria, Chile, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, India, Ireland, Italy, Japan, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Lithuania, Mexico, Morocco, Norway, Peru, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Romania, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey were invited, at their request, to participate in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.
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> "Mr. Vladislav Jovanovic was invited, in response to his request, to be seated at the side of the Council Chamber.

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"The Chargé d'affaires of the delegation of the European Commission/European Union to the United Nations was also invited, at her request, in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"The Security Council heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Mr. Hédi Annabi, Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations.

"The members of the Council made comments and posed questions in connection with the briefing.

"Mr. Annabi responded to the comments and questions posed by members of the Council."

Admission of new Members (*see* S/2000/40/1)

At its 4103rd meeting, held on 17 February 2000, the Security Council had before it the report of the Committee on the Admission of New Members concerning the application of Tuvalu for admission to membership in the United Nations (S/2000/70), recommending to the Council a draft resolution on the application of Tuvalu for admission to membership in the United Nations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution contained in paragraph 4 of the report of the Committee on the Admission of New Members, which was adopted, by 14 votes in favour to none against, with 1 abstention (China), as resolution 1290 (2000) (for the text, see S/RES/1290 (2000); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).

In accordance with the recommendation contained in paragraph 3 of the report of the Committee on the Admission of New Members, the President stated that he would immediately convey the decision of the Security Council recommending the admission of Tuvalu to membership in the United Nations to the Secretary-General for transmittal to the General Assembly, in accordance with the provisions of rule 60 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President of the Security Council then made a statement on behalf of the Council (for the text, see S/PRST/2000/6; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).